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Applicant: Steffensmeier et al.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
EXTENDING THE LIFE OF
MATRIX ADDRESSED EMISSIVE
DISPLAY DEVICES

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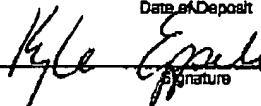
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Applicant claims small entity status.

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